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### Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No.: 10/676,367 First Named Applicant: Theodore Neithausen  
Examiner: George Hageman Heger Art Unit: 3611 Status of Application: under final

#### Tentative Participants:

(1) Royal Craig (attorney) (2) Ann Gachua (attorney)  
(3) \_\_\_\_\_ (4) \_\_\_\_\_

Proposed Date of Interview: February 2, 2006 Proposed Time: 2:10 (AM/PM)

#### Type of Interview Requested:

(1) ☒ Telephonic (2) ☐ Personal (3) ☐ Video Conference

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If yes, provide brief description: \_\_\_\_\_

### Issues To Be Discussed

Issues (Rej., Obj., etc)	Claims/ Fig. #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
(1) <u>Clarity/Restriction</u> <u>all</u>		<u>N/A</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(2) <u>112</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>N/A</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(3) <u>103</u>	<u>1-4 &amp; 10</u>	<u>All</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(4) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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#### Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:

Potential amendments to distinguish prior art  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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Examiner/SPE Signature

Royal H. Craig  
Typed/Printed Name of Applicant or Representative

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